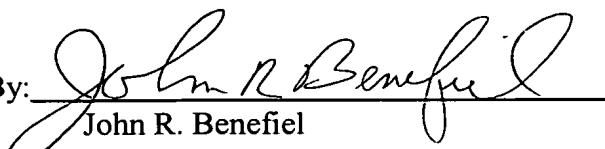


REMARKS

The above amendment is to remove a reference to Figure 3A which was not included in the application as filed.

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